



**BAND BATTLE** . . . Two Torrance residents will compete in a preliminary "Battle of the Bands" contest Saturday evening at Long Beach City College, 4901 E. Carson St. Shown here preparing for the contest are Marsha Kucherer, 20, and Joel Schneider, 18. Both will compete in the vocal soloist division. Three finalists will be selected in each division for the Hollywood Bowl competition to be held June 27.

## The Mail Ego

By **TERRENCE O'FLAHERTY**

"Is it true that Ted Kennedy's wife was a movie actress?"

Yes, in a way. She did some film commercials for the Perry Como and Eddie Fisher shows when she was a model for the Conover Agency. This was before she married Kennedy. The only commercial anyone can recall showed her advertising coffee from a sailboat.

"I am shocked to hear that Carol Channing would do a television show titled 'Carol Channing Proudly Presents the Seven Deadly Sins.' Isn't this below her usual high standards?"

That all depends on how you look at sin. Her first big stage hit, "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," was about adultery. Her first big movie, "Thoroughly Modern Millie" was about white slavery. The seven deadly sins of the middle ages were Pride, Envy, Sloth, Gluttony, Wrath, Avarice, and the everpopular Lust. In my estimation the only sin Miss Channing committed on the TV show was inviting Danny Thomas to be on it.

"How can I find out if it's true that Mia Farrow is going to marry Andre Previn?"

Ask his wife, Dore.

"When will David Merrick

let Hollywood release the movie version of 'Hello Dolly' with Barbra Streisand?"

His contract with Twentieth Century-Fox stipulates it can't be shown until the Broadway run is over which doesn't seem likely for years, but recently Merrick relented and has allowed the studio to release the movie in December provided they won't go all-out on publicity until just before the opening so as not to hurt the sales of the stage show. Now that I've told you the secret, don't cancel your seats!

"My family was disappointed to see Bob Hope relegated to such a small spot on the Oscar Academy Awards. I hope his feelings weren't hurt."

He was relieved. In past year the entire show rested on his shoulders and he is glad to be out of it.

"Why doesn't Hollywood do more of the great classic stories?"

I guess there aren't enough nude scenes. But television is taking a new interest in the classics. "Little Women" appears next month and Sir Laurence Olivier has been signed for next season's "David Copperfield" — both on NBC. Due to the success of "Midsummer Night's Dream" this year CBS is planning "King Lear" for 1970. Eventually movies and TV will get around to them all because there aren't enough stores to go around.

"If all the stars on the Oscar show appeared for free didn't the sponsor save a lot of money?"

Not much. The profits go to the Academy. Kodak, the sponsor, paid ABC \$1.6 million for the rights to the two hour show. ABC paid \$750,000 to the Academy. And the Academy spent \$500,000.

"Is Angela Lansbury going to do the movie version of 'Mame'?"

Only if Elizabeth Taylor turns it down.

"Where does Bing Crosby live now?"

Right this minute he and Cathy Crosby are in their favorite resort Las Cruces in lower California. The rest of the time they live in a suburb of San Francisco.

### Meet Tomorrow

Members of the Torrance Water Commission will meet at 7 p.m. tomorrow in Room 214 at the City Hall, 3031 Torrance Blvd. A discussion of the proposed 1969-70 budget and of possible increases in water rates are included on the agenda.

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